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Re. Carl. C  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicant: Carlson et al.  
Assignee: Maxtor Corporation  
Title: DISK DRIVE WITH IMPROVED TECHNIQUES FOR  
DETECTING HEAD FLYING HEIGHT (AS AMENDED)  
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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**THIRD PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Please amend the application as follows.

**In the Claims**

Amend the following claims:

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